NEW MUTANTS

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<I'm sorry...>*

*Translated from Russian.

...please...

...forgive me...

‹I didn't mean to hurt anyone...›

‹...You have to believe me...›

‹...You have to believe me...›

‹...You have to believe me...›

‹...please...›

‹...please...›

‹...please...›

‹...please...›

‹...please...›

‹...please...›

‹...help.›

‹...help.›

‹...help.›

‹...help.›

‹...help.›

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SPHERE OF INFLUENCE

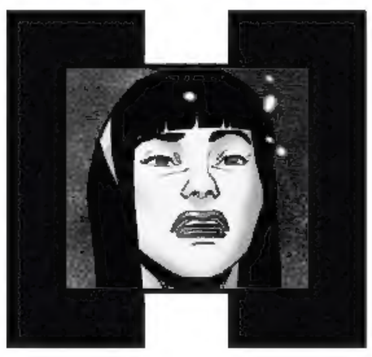
A teenager in Carnelia has begun to manifest mutantpowers in the form of a fast-growing orb of nightmares -- a dangerous situation in a country which has rejected Krakoan sovereignty and is openly hostile to mutants. The NEW MUTANTS arrived to help, but Karma's attempt at psychic intervention resulted in her and her teammates being overtaken. Now backup is on its way...for better or for worse.

Boom-Boom

Chamber

Magma

Mirage



Karma

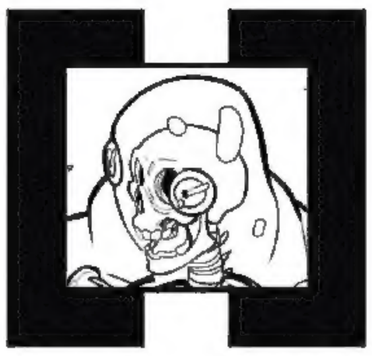
Cypher

Mondo

Armor

Wolfsbane

Wildside



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Ew.

STUNFF!!

So gross.

The rate this is growing...

...we're going to have to start evacuating the city.

Can you tell them they need to start evacuation procedures?

Are you serious?

Those clowns just told us the only reason they let us through was because they thought this thing might *kill* us.

There are thousands of people in those apartments. They shouldn't have to pay with their lives because of a few loud-mouthed cops.

If I could speak Russian, I'd do it, but I can't, so it's on you.

Fine!

Mirage.

We're here.

What's the sitrep?

Sitrep? You're sounding like Cable, Doug.

Sitrep is not good. This thing is growing and fast. We need to put a stop to it.

The hell?!
What's up with Clowny McWolverine-Lite here?
What's he gonna do, make some balloon animals to fight our way outta this one?
It's Wildside, you loudmouthed little--
Enough!
We've got bigger things to worry about.
<...sorry...>
<...sorry...>
<...sorry...>
<...sorry...>
<...sorry...>
My lord. This...
Are they okay?
New Mutants repeatedly apologizing. Well, that's a first. Long overdue if you ask--
Shut up, Wildside.
You brought Wildside along? That guy is the worst.
I think he can help us.
Besides, it's a new world--a fresh start. If Krakoa is going to work, we all need to act like we're on the same side, even those who we once considered enemies.
Nice to see the locals are lending a hand.
They're not.
They're hoping the sphere eats us.

Carnelia. Pershyy Palace.

‹Prime Minister Prokopovych?›*

*Translated from Russian.

‹Do you know what time it is?›

‹Yes, sir. We wouldn't disturb you if it wasn't important.›

‹We have an incident involving mutants and some sort of black hole.›

‹Black what?›

‹Hole, sir. Details are vague, but your presence is requested.›

‹We have a helicopter prepared to lift off as soon as you're ready.›

‹I'll need five minutes. Need to throw on a suit and run a comb through my hair.›

‹Make sure the press is there.›

‹Damned mutants.›

Krakoa. The Akademos Habitat. The Sextant.

Glob...

...have you seen the rest of the New Mutants? Everyone seems to have--

--Are those chickens?

Sure are! Nothing like fresh eggs. And, you know, they're nice to have around. Each one has their own personality. For instance--

Yes, I'm sorry I asked. The New Mutants, *where* did they go?

They went to...*uhm*...I can't remember the name of the place.

Eastern European. Sounds like "carnage," but isn't.

Carnelia?

That's it.

Mirage and the rest found another mutant that needed saving or something, so they all ran off.

I was making them laksa for dinner, and now there's no one here to eat it.

Glob, in Pilger...how did that cartel know where to find you?

If they were waiting, they had to have known how to find Beak and Angel.

There's a site... *uhm...*

Like.. "Mutant Dox" or "Mutie Dox" or "Dox All Mutants" or something.

They had pictures of Beak and Angel and the children at a grocery store.

And they posted their address and all that stuff.

Some people out there just want to see us suffer.

so sick.

They...this site, it just put their address on the internet?

As though they can pretend they weren't putting these mutants in danger?

Worse than Limbo even.

Did you want some laksa?

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GLOB'S VEGETARIAN LAKSA RECIPE

INGREDIENTS:

SOUP BASE

- 3 14oz cans coconut milk
- 4 cups vegetable broth
- 1 lb tofu (freeze the night before, remove and cut into small cubes)
- 1 tbsp lemongrass paste
- 2 tbsp ginger (freshly grated)
- 3 tbsp fresh lime juice
- 3 tbsp soy sauce
- 2 tbsp yellow curry paste
- 3 tbsp brown sugar

OTHER INGREDIENTS:

- 2 cups sliced cremini mushrooms
- Handful fresh cilantro, chopped
- 1 cup bean sprouts
- Hardboiled eggs, peeled and sliced lengthwise -- enough for one egg per bowl
- 100 grams ramen noodles per person (or use whatever type of noodles you want)
- Spicy chili crisp sauce (homemade or store bought)
- Lime, cut into wedges

INSTRUCTIONS

Prepare eggs the night before! Or that afternoon, though I find the night before easier. One less thing to worry about.

Place all soup base ingredients into a slow cooker and cook on high for 3-4 hours. Fifteen minutes before it's done, add mushrooms (and any other veggies you may want to mix in). About 5 minutes before the slow cooker is done, cook noodles according to instructions, slice hardboiled eggs and chop up your cilantro.

Fill bowl about 1/3-1/2 full of noodles, add laksa soup base, top with sliced egg, cilantro, slice of lime and bean sprouts, and serve.

Serve with spicy chili crisp on the side for those who like to spice it up a little.

[GLOB]....OO]
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Just... fascinating.

Absolutely *fascinating.*

Cypher, we didn't call you here to fall in love with the damn thing...

You know what it is, right?

It's a growing abyss that's going to swallow this whole city if we don't do anything about it.

That little girl in there, this...

...these are her *dreams.*

Karma was right. She's having a nightmare, and it's pulling in the world around her.

Yeah, we figured that genius. We didn't call you hear to Dougsplain it to us.

We need to know how to stop it.

So I'll just toss in a bomb, wake her up, yeah?

See, we didn't need you Doug.

Tick... tick...

Whoa, whoa, whoa...

No. *Bad idea.*

You can't just bomb your way into a solution.

Everyone trapped in there is connected. They're all on the same sort of neural network.

She's pulling from them, powering this nightmare sphere.

You blow her up, there's no telling what it does to the others.

I wasn't going to blow her up. I'm not a monster.

Nightmares are usually just people trying to understand what's happening to them.

Their brain trying to make sense of their environment.

But in more severe cases--and I'd say that this is about as severe as it gets--

It's usually a symptom of something deeper. Some sort of trauma.

Everyone trapped in there is connected. They're all on the same sort of neural network.

We have to go inside. We have to get close to her.

And once we do, we have to give her *good* dreams.

That...the nightmare sphere...when it pulled Chamber, Magma and Karma in, it grew. It got *noticeably* larger.

If that girl is connected to them through the neural network you mentioned... if she's drawing power from them...

...isn't going in only going to make it worse?

It's likely. But we'll need to find a way to reach her.

Snff...

There's something in the air. I dinnae think that it is safe for you to go in.

It smells... like...

...medicine-y. Thin. It's not good.

Is this all you guys do?

Stand around, talking. It's *boring.*

Where's the *action?!* If the rest of the *Mutant Liberation Front* were here, we would have already kicked this thing's ass and been on our way to the bar.

First of all: Shut your cake-hole, Wildside.

Secondly, I've got an idea on how we can reach the girl.

A way that we can send in a small team, and they'll be safe from whatever's in the air.

Have you seen *Poltergeist?*

‹Can we get this started already?›

‹In three, two...›

NEWS 24

‹I'm here right now with Prime Minister Ivan Prokopovych.›

‹As you can see behind me, there is a large object that seemingly appeared out of nowhere less than 24 hours ago. The origin of the object is still unknown.›

‹But what is known is that it has increased dramatically in size since it first appeared.›

‹Does the Prime Minister's office have an official statement on the object at this time?›

NEWS

‹At present, we are not sure what the object is. Though I can assure you that we have top Carnelian scientists on it.›

‹That said, I refuse to overlook the "coincidence" of an event like this shortly after we declined to sign the Krakoan Accord recognizing the mutant nation's sovereignty.›

‹Clearly this is a ruse orchestrated by mutants in an attempt to force our hand.›

‹To show us that without them, we'd be vulnerable.›

‹As though we're just some American idea of a backwoods Eastern European country too ignorant and naïve to see through this.›

‹However, we are about to put an end to this charade and show the mutants that we will not tolerate their attempts at interfering with Carnelian politics.›

I can't believe Armor agreed to go along with a plan plucked from an '80s horror movie.

I dinnae think it's a bad plan, though.

‹Thank you again for going on camera to--›

‹Yes, anything for the media.›

‹But do not leave just yet--there is more to come.›

‹What are you doing just standing around?›

‹We already lost three security guards in there. This is beyond our scope.›

‹If the mutants want to die trying to stop this thing, then I do not see why we should stop them from--›

‹Moron.›

‹This is all a show. They're "fixing" a problem they created.›

‹And you fell for it.›

‹Arrest them!›

What are they shouting about?

I'll give you three guesses.

DOX

MUTANTS IN CARNELIA!

Well, it looks like the mutants are at it again. This time, they've taken their dog and pony show abroad.

As reported widely on all major networks, a group of mutants -- a few of which appear to be the same involved in the Pilger Incident (link) -- have popped up in Carnelia, and they've brought what many are describing as a "black hole" with them.

According to Ivan Prokopovych, prime minister of Carnelia, the mutants brought the black hole to his country in an attempt to stage (and we mean STAGE as in FAKE) a rescue in a bizarre attempt to convince the Carnelian Government to recognize Krakoa as a sovereign nation.

Thankfully for Carnelia (and us), Ivan Prokopovych was able to see through their ruse and has issued a warrant for the arrest of the trespassing mutants.

DOX would like to encourage all of our readers in Carnelia to forward us footage and reports from the ground so that we can keep all of our readers updated on this latest attack to global freedoms.

Okay, the moment it seems you're in trouble, I'll pull you out.

With all this extra cargo, I'm not sure how long I'll be able to keep my armor up.

We won't need that long. If we can reach the little girl, hopefully Wildside can disrupt her nightmare and induce more pleasant dreams, and we'll be out before we know it.

Hopefully?

It's what I do, Cypher. Done it a million times.

If you guys are gonna do this, you might wanna do it now.

The locals are getting a little restless.

Put down yah weapons, you fools. We're tryin' ta help!

Uhm...

I can't see out.

That's concerning.

Okay, if you're feeling faint, if you need out, just tug and I'll get you out of there right away.

Good luck.

Yeah... Thanks.

That's okay. It's fine.

Is it? I can't see outside. It's like... nothingness.

As long as the cable's attached and we're inside your armor, we'll be okay.

Why does it look like the girl is so far away?

When we were outside, she was, like... way closer.

Yeah, I gotta side with moss-boy. Something hinky's going on.

It's because all of this, it's an unreality. The laws out there do not apply in here.

But don't fear...

...we'll be out of here soon enough.

Okay, what next?

Wildside, this is going to be the toughest part.

I need you to inject her without letting any of the exterior atmosphere in.

Whatever, just give me the opening.

Think you can focus, just let his claws and nothing else through?

The seal has to be airtight, otherwise--

Got it.

We're good.

All right, girl, get ready for dreams of puppies and ice cream and rainbows and--

Oh...

...crap!

I...ungh... I can't break free from it.

It's squeezing. It...

It's okay. Dani will have to have felt that.

SSSSSSSSS

We'll go back. Take a moment.

Try again.

NO.
NO. NO.
NO.

C'mon...
please...

Oh
god,
no.

It's...

I don't
know if I can...

...hold...

Armor!
Stay with
me, okay?

We can
do this.

Armor?

Hisako?

‹Hisako... my daughter. My beautiful girl. Look at how you've grown.›*

‹Heya, sis.›

‹Give your mother a hug.›

*Translated from Japanese.

‹Mom? Hideo?›

‹But...›

‹...you're dead.›

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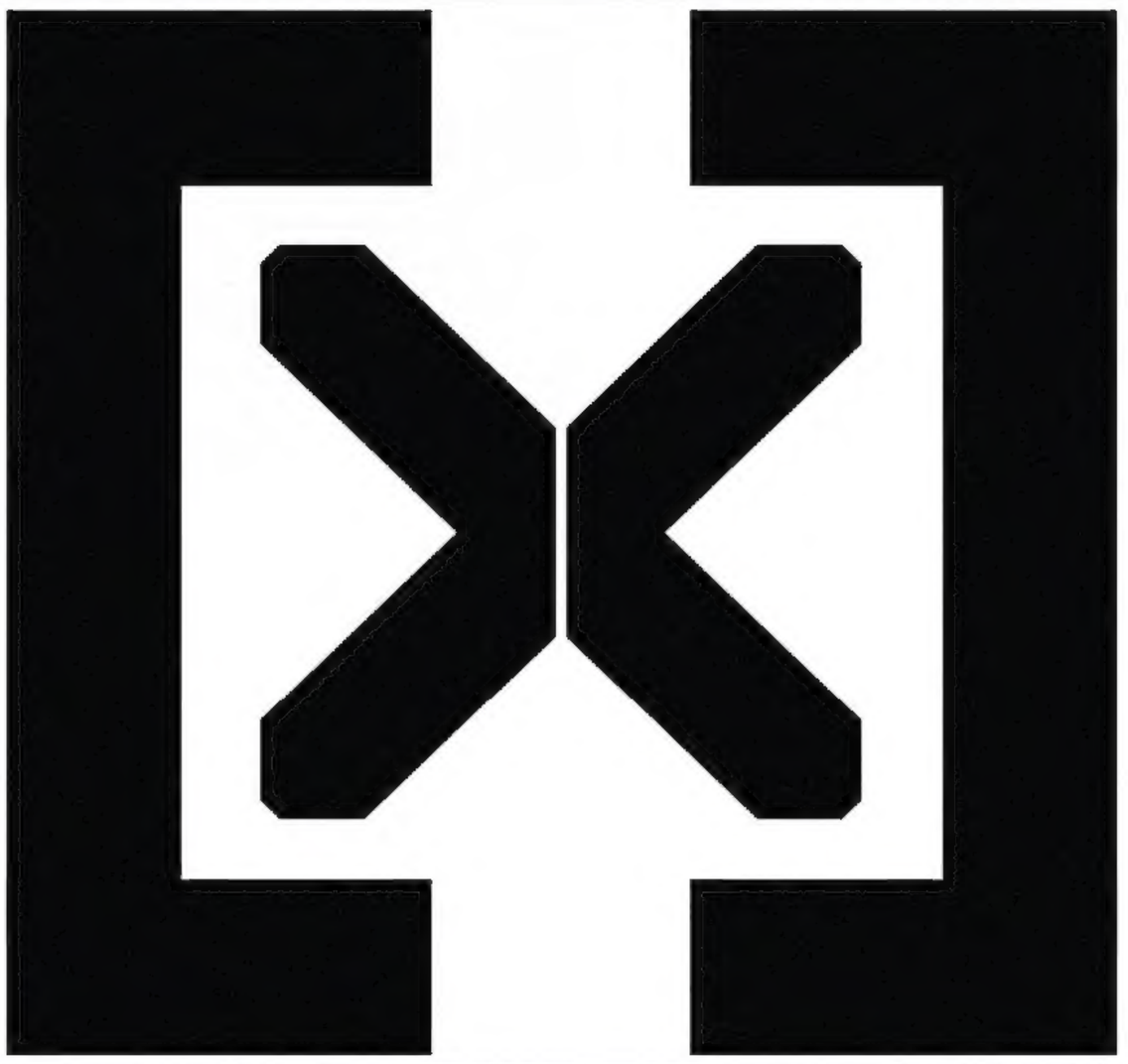

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